

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, John and Alice Misar exchanged their wedding vows on February 28, 1938, promising to share their lives and love together for the rest of their days; and,

Whereas, John and Alice gave life and love to eight children; and now John and Alice have eighteen grandchildren, and eleven great-grandchildren; and,

Whereas, The newly-wed couple of 65 years ago has been replaced by two devoted partners who have shared life's beauty and sorrow and have grown to love one another more because of their common journey; and,

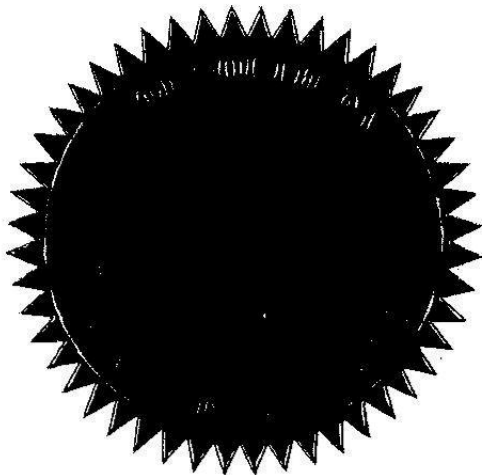
Whereas, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, John and Alice have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

Whereas, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognizes and commemorates the memorable milestones in the lives of the State's outstanding citizens:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 28, 2003, as

JOHN & ALICE MISAR DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Thirteenth Day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Three.

M. Michael Rounds

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Ch. Nelson

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State